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Charge or credit Deposit Account No. 13-3080 with any shortage or overpayment of the required fee. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/11/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/11/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 02/11/2005
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- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/11/2005
- Assignment filed on 02/11/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 02/11/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity.

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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